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April A. Abate **Environmental Scientist III** State of Utah Department of Natural Resources Division of Oil, Gas, and Mining 1594 West Temple, Suite 1210 Salt Lake City, UT 84114-5801

DIV. OF OIL, GAS & MINING

Dear April,

Thank you for working with me to clear up the issues with our reclamation bonds. Attached are our responses to the 4 citations we received August 15, 2014.

Citation MN-2014-60-6 is for the 2103 annual report for the Neal mines is now complete.

Citation MN-2014-60-5 is for the 2013 annual report for the Harrison mine is now complete.

Citation MN-2014-60-3 is for the 2013 annual report and upgraded bond for the Tom Taylor mine. The annual report is enclosed, and per our discussion, the current reclamation bond is for the behalf of the BLM and does not list DOGM. We are having trouble getting this bond replaced. We have been slowly removing the items from this area, and should be able to be ready to seed the land in May of 2015 so that it can be removed from this bond and satisfy DOGM's concerns.

Citation MN-2014-60-4 is for the 2007-2013 annual reports and large mine plan for the area listed as Cowboy Bandana mine. The annual reports are enclosed. Based on our discussion, we plan to do an inventory of this property, remove the areas already reclaimed, and divide the bond up by mine. This is a large undertaking and we expect to need a few months' time of warm weather to accomplish the first stage. As we enter the winter, this will become increasingly difficult, so we request to set a completion date of the inventory and requests for changing the bonds to August 1, 2015.

Please let me know if this letter is sufficient to get extra time to correct the issues in these citations. I plan to travel to Utah October 20, can we meet to discuss?

Sincerely,

ZIEGLER CHEMICAL & MINERAL CORP.

President

Cc: L.T. Souren G.S. Ziegler, Jr.

UTAH

Citation for Non-Compliance

Utah Minerals Regulatory Program

Citation #:	MN-2014-60-5		
Downit Number	0/047/0100		

	nple, Salt Lake City, U	•	Permit Nun	nber: S/047/0100
OIL, GAS & MINING Phone: (801) 538-5340 Fax: (801) 359-3940		Date Issued: 08/08/2014		
NOTICE OF VIOLATION	CESSATIO	N ORDER	(CO)	FAILURE TO ABATE CO
Permittee Name: Zeigler Chemical		Inspector I	Inspector ID and Number: April Abate - 60	
Mine Name: Harrison Mine		Date of Inspection:		
Certified Return Receipt Number: 7011 2970 0001 8827 9303		Date and T	Date and Time of Service: 08/05/2014 01:08 pm	
Nature of condition, practice, or violation				
Failure to provide an annual report f	for 2013.			
Provisions of Act, regulations, or permit	violated:			
R647-4-121- Each operator must fil	e an Annual report of	Mining Op	erations descri	ibing its operations during the
preceding calendar year.				
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This order requires Ce	ssation of ALL n	nining ac	tivities.	
This order requires Ces	ssation of PORTI	ON(S) o	f the mining	g activities.
Mining activities to be ceased immed	iately:			
Condition, practice, or violation is	creating an	Permittee/Operator is/has been conducting mining		
imminent danger to health or safet		activities without a Permit.		
Condition, practice, or violation is causing or can reasonably be expected to cause significant, imminent environmental harm to land, air, or water resources.		Permittee has failed to abate Violation included in		
		Citation # within time for		
		abatement originally fixed or subsequently extended.		
Abatement/corrective action(s) red	quired (for all Citation	ons):		Abatement Times (if applicable)
Provide annual report for 2013.				Annual reports 60 days -
				10/8/2014
CHIP 21864	CHIP ZIEGLER April A. Abate			
Permittee Representative (Print) DOGM Representative (Print)				
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Permittee Representative's Signature	Date	OGM Represen	tative's Signature	Date
SEE REVERSE SIDE Of This Form For Instructions And Additional Information				

STATE OF UTAH DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES DIVISION OF OIL, GAS AND MINING

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SMALL MINING OPERATIONS PROGRESS REPORT January 1, 20 13 to December 31, 20 13

The information required in this form are based on provisions of the Mined Land Reclamation Act, Title 40-8, and the rules as under the Utah Minerals Regulatory Program. The report is due January 31 each year.

1.	Mine Permit Number: S/047/0100			
2.	Mine Name: Harrison			
3.	Name of Operator/Permittee: Ziegler Chemical & Mineral Corp.			
	Note: If Operator's address, company representative or phone number have changed, please provide a replacement page for the Notice of Intention together with form MR-REV available on the Division's web page at https://fs.ogm.utah.gov/pub/MINES/Minerals_Related/FORMS/MR-REV-SMO_EXP.pdf .			
4.	Report the gross amount of ore mined and waste moved.			
	Gross Ore Mined $\frac{0}{\text{Tons, or }}$ Tons, or $\frac{1}{\text{Tons}}$			
	Waste Material Moved ——Tons, or ——yd ³			
5.	New disturbance created during the year Acres			
	Area reclaimed during the year Acres			
	Total Disturbed Area at the end of the year Acres*			
	*The total disturbed area should not be greater than the permitted/bonded acreage.			
6.	Briefly describe the reclamation work performed during the past year. A map showing reclaimed areas and dates is suggested.			
	There was no reclamation activity done at this site in 2013.			
I he	reby certify the information provided in this report is true and correct to the best of my			
knowledge a				
	Name (Typed or Print):Chip Ziegler			
	Title of Operator: President			
	Signature of Operator:			
	Date: August 19, 2014			
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